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The HEAD OFFICE now receives money on deposit and makes advances on goods in Neutral godowns, and upon other securities on terms to be had on application.

Hongkong, August 27, 1891. 1673

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THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer in their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1891. 1615

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$10,000,000. RESERVE FUND, \$6,300,000. RESERVE LIABILITY OR PROVISIONS, \$10,000,000.

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HONGKONG — INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance up to \$20,000.

On Fixed Deposits — For 6 months 3½ per cent. per annum. n 12 " 4 " up to \$20,000. n 12 " 4 " on sums in excess of \$20,000.

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F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 10, 1891. 1571

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £2,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL, £600,000.

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E. W. BUTTER, Manager.

Hongkong, August 10, 1891. 1623

## Intimations.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT SILVER LOAN OF 1884 C.

### 4th DRAWING.

INTEREST DUE and DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be PAYABLE at the OFFICES of the CORPORATION on and after the 15th INSTANT.

LIST of DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, Agents Issuing the LOAN,

F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 14, 1891. 1963

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

### ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 48 or 1891.

In the Matter of the Estate of ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Deceased.

Between THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED — Plaintiff.

AND SYLVIA MARIA DOS REMEDIOS and ANTONIO HUGO DOS REMEDIOS, the Administratrix and Administrator of the above-named Deceased — Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Honorable the Chief Justice having in virtue of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, Section 3, made an Order limiting to the 15th November, 1891, the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the above Estate.

All Creditors are hereby required to send in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before the said date, and all Persons INDEBTED to the said Estate are requested to make immediate Payment.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1891.

WOTTON & DEACON, Solicitors for the Plaintiffs, 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY

### AMBULANCE CLASS

MEMBERS of this CLASS will attend the following DRILLS, ordered by Surgeon CANTLIE: —

SATURDAY, 17th — 5 o'clock

MONDAY, 19th — 6.15 ..

TUESDAY, 20th — 6.15 ..

FRIDAY, 23rd — 6.15 ..

Preparatory to Inspection by H.R.C. Major-General Commanding, at 4 o'clock, Saturday, 24th.

UNIFORM FOR SATURDAY, 24th: BLUE SERGE & HELMETS.

By Order,

W. C. A. NICHOLSON, Lieut., R.A., Adjutant H.K. Vol. Art.

Hongkong, October 14, 1891. 1966

### NOTIFICATION.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

### I.

THE DRILL SEASON of the above Corps will Commence on the 16th OCTOBER.

### II.

Surgeon CANTLIE will attend at HEAD QUARTERS, FRIDAY EVENINGS, at 6 o'clock, to inspect any Gentlemen wishing to join.

### III.

Intereding MEMBERS on passing Medical Examination will be enrolled and passed on to Recruit Drill at once.

### IV.

Any one who has previously been an Efficient MEMBER of a Volunteer Corps will not be required to drill until November, but it will be to the advantage of all such NEW MEMBERS to enrol as early as possible.

### V.

Expresses of Drills will be issued.

By Order,

W. C. A. NICHOLSON, Lieut., R.A., Adjutant H.K. Vol. Art.

Head Quarters, Hongkong, 12th October, 1891. 1952

### SHANGHAI RACES.

THE MESSAGERIES MARITIMES CH. & THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

WILL issue RETURN TICKETS to SHANGHAI by their STEAMERS leaving on or about the 13th, 21st, and 27th INSTANT and 4th NOVEMBER, for return by either Line and allowing of One Month's stay at Shanghai.

FARES — First Saloon, \$60.

Second " \$10.

Hongkong, October 9, 1891. 1930

### HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A Scratch COMPETITION for SPOONS will take place at Kowloon, at 8:00 and 900 yards, on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant, at 2:45 p.m. Conditions 10 rounds and a sighting shot at each Range. Blinks (1500) positions and targets.

### J. ANDERSON,

Acting Hon. Secretary, H.K. Vol. Art.

Hongkong, October 13, 1891. 1957

### HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB.

THE Annual General MEETING for the purpose of receiving the Committee's Report for the last Season and electing the Committee and Officers of the Club for the ensuing Season will be held in the CHICKEN CUE, Pavilion, on FRIDAY, the 23rd October, at 6 p.m.

W. H. WALLACE,

Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 7, 1891. 1914

### BOARD AND LODGING.

VACANCIES for GENTLEMAN BOARDERS, at 70, WYNDHAM STREET. Apply MRS. SWANSTON.

Hongkong, September 5, 1891. 1791

## Business Notices.

**LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.**

IMPORTERS OF

**GROCERIES & PROVISIONS**

PACKED by CROSSE BLACKWELL & CO., PHILIPPE & CANAUD and

OTHER 1ST CLASS PACKERS.

**A Full Stock of FRESH STORES** always on Hand.

A REVISED PRICE LIST will be issued on 1st OCTOBER, 1891. Attention is called to the NEW SCALE OF PRICES.

FRICED LISTS and PASS BOOKS sent, Post Free, to any address.

**LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.**

Hongkong, September 26, 1891. 1844

**W. POWELL & CO.**

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IN CANVAS AND FELT.

FILLERELLE SILKS.

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W. POWELL & CO.

Hongkong, October 15, 1891. 1908

**ROBERT LANG & CO.'S NEW HATS.**

BLACK, GREY and BROWN FELTS.

SINGLE TERRAI HATS.

(ALL SHADES).

STRAW and PITH HATS.

Hongkong, June 4, 1891. 1127

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ESSENCE OR FLUID EXTRACT OF RED JAMAICA SARSAPARILLA

is the only Preparation recognized by the Faculty as a wonderful

PURIFIER OF THE HUMAN BLOOD.

Sniffers from the effects of TORPID LIVER, DILATATION, ATTENUATION of BODY, ERUPTIONS, LASSITUDE, &c., will, by taking this ESSENCE, soon find relief, and ultimately a cure.

A LITTLE TAKEN DAILY IS THE BEST PREVENTIVE OF ILLNESS.

Superiority of WILKINSON'S Sarsaparilla.



# THE CHINA MAIL

No. 8861.—OCTOBER 15, 1891.

our concerns. Mr. Becher may be able by his presence to induce the shareholders to re-constitute or invigorate the company. It is a very important thing to do that I shall be continued, but I cannot afford to precipitate matters at the present juncture—which may continue for very long. With regard to the Sanghai Dus, no work has been done, and we are waiting for better times in the Malay Peninsula, when we might be able to get some party to take over our concession. It may be advisable after this year to definitely abandon the Concession to the Government, and thus relieve the company from the payment of half the annual tax for prospecting. The question of gold has to be considered, and in conjunction with the Raub Company we propose that a fixed rate should be levied, the meantime we make payment to the Government. I am glad to be able to say that we receive every attention and encouragement from the officials of the State, though I do not think that sufficiently realize the very hard work this company had to undertake in pioneering mining in the State. Mr. Clifford, the able Acting Resident, has promised all the assistance he can give in furthering our work. It is unfortunate that the State is in such pecuniary difficulties, as nothing is being done towards opening out the country as in the adjoining States, and so aiding any mining enterprises. Before concluding, I would again like to express my extreme satisfaction in the manner in which Mr. D. E. has carried out his duties as our Prospector and mining manager, and I only regret that we had not met him at a much earlier date. Before moving the adoption of the Report and Accounts, I shall be glad to answer any questions to the best of my ability.

There are no questions. The Chairman moved the adoption of the report and accounts.

Mr. G. Hayes seconded, and the motion was unanimously carried.

The Chairman.—The next business before the meeting is the election of directors. Mr. Wood and I retire, as we offer ourselves for re-election. As we must, according to the articles of association, have five directors, we are one short at present, and I beg to propose that Mr. G. Fowick be elected. (Applause.)

Mr. Gillies seconded and the motion was unanimously carried.

Mr. P. B. Cannon proposed the re-election of Messrs Orange and Wood.

Mr. A. E. Steele seconded. Carried unanimously.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Tandy, Messrs F. Henderson and H. Gillies were re-elected auditors.

Mr. Mehta.—I beg to propose that a very cordial vote of thanks be conveyed to Mr. Orange, our worthy Chairman, for the able and masterly report he has presented to us on the mining operations of the company in Pahang. The report has been the outcome of his visit to the place in person on our behalf, undertaken I am sure at great personal inconvenience and sacrifice. It is, I am glad to observe, very much unlike the rosy and fancy pictures of some so-called mining experts and is a plain, unvarnished tale of what has been done and what should be done by us. It has on its behalf, and great thanks are due to him. At the beg to propose that a vote of thanks be given to our representatives in London, Mr. Brodie and his able coadjutor, for the very valuable services they have rendered to this company in connection with the Penang Pahang Gold Company. (Applause.)

Mr. Judah seconded.

The Chairman.—Gentlemen, you have heard the proposition made by Mr. Mehta and seconded by Mr. Judah; are you agreeable? (Applause.) Mr. Mehta, Mr. Judah and gentlemen, I am very much obliged to you for the kindly remarks you made and for the vote of thanks which however I think is due more to the other members of the Board than to me. I am only a late-comer in the history of the company, while Mr. Gillies and Mr. Davies have worked for many years in your behalf without any remuneration whatever. They have really had the hard work to do. With regard to the affairs of the company I think it must be a considerable gratification to you to know that at the present time and indeed for the past five or six months we have been practically paying our expenses. We started six months ago with \$23,000 debtors capital; against that we have some debts at the mine, also a small advance to the London company, and we are now more than \$20,000 in hand, and nothing at the mine. We have practically carried on for the six months with an expenditure of something like \$5000, and I hope that for the next six months we shall do the same. All our hope in this company depends on the London Company; not having any money at our bank we cannot afford to precipitate matters, and therefore it is that I ask you to do the very thankless office of simply waiting for our London representatives and depend on them doing all they can. You may be sure they will never on the side of jealousy, for directly they have the opportunity for forcing the hands of the London Company they will do so.

This concluded the meeting.

## THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this afternoon. H. E. Major-General G. Digby Barker, C. B., Officer Administering the Government, presided; and there were also present: Hon. W. M. Goodman, Acting Colonial Secretary; Hon. A. J. Leach, Acting Attorney General; Hon. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, Registrar General; Hon. H. A. Cooper, Acting Surveyor General; Hon. H. G. Mitchell-Innes, Colonial Treasurer; Hon. P. Ryrie, Hon. J. J. Keawick, Hon. K. Kai, Hon. T. H. Whitehead, and Mr. A. M. Thomson, Acting Clerk of Councils. Absent: Hon. C. P. Chater.

Mr. A. Cooper, Acting Surveyor General, was sworn in as a member of the Council.

His Excellency the Acting Governor delivered an address which will be found in another part of the paper.

## DEPARCUES TABLED.

The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on the table despatches concerning the military contribution and the appointment of a Chinese Consul at Hongkong. These documents will be found in another part of the paper.

## FINANCIAL MINUTES.

The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on the table financial minutes recommending the following votes:—A sum of \$320, as a Compensation Allowance to the widow and children of Cheong Loi, late First Shroff in the Colonial Treasury; a sum of \$1,600, for general repairs to the Government Ma-

rine Surveyor's Launch *Hilda*, and providing a launch while the repairs are being executed; a sum of \$7,037, for the repairs to damages caused by the storm on the 18th and 19th August to the Praya wall and roadway in Yaumatei, in front of Lots Nos. 215 and 218; a sum of \$1,092, as a Compassionate Allowance to the children of the late Mr. A. M. Place, Senior Marine Officer in the General Post Office, in consideration of their father's twenty-one years' service; a sum of \$3,500, for building the Vaccines Institute; a sum of \$3,00, for the repair of St. John's Cathedral Church.

The votes were referred to the Finance Committee.

## THE BANKRUPTCY ORDINANCE.

The Acting Attorney General laid on the table the report of the Committee on the Bankruptcy Bill, and gave notice that, if there was no objection to the course, he would at next meeting move the third reading of the Bill.

## QUESTIONS BY MR. WHITEHEAD.

Mr. Whitehead.—With your Excellency's permission, I desire to postpone asking the first eight questions of which I have notice for two or three meetings of Council on account of the sad death and of the sorrowful circumstances attending the death of the late Surveyor General. I propose to ask only Nos. 9, 10, 11 and 12.

The Council adjourned to Monday next.

## THE LONDON MISSION.

Mr. Ho Kai made the first reading of an Ordinance to incorporate the Senior Missionary in Hongkong of the London Missionary Society.

Mr. Kyrie seconded and the motion was carried.

No one seconded and the second reading was carried.

The Law Opium Ordinance was also read a second time.

## THE SUPPRESSION OF GAMBLING.

I have not ceased to use my best endeavours to induce the High Chinese Authorities of the neighbouring Provinces to suppress gambling in the Chinese towns and villages on our borders, which has increased with the diminution of the vice in this Colony produced by the Gambling Ordinance which I recently passed. My representations have been met by the Chinese authorities with a laudable desire to co-operate, and stringent measures have been taken by them to attain the desired object, but I regret to say that the main difficulty in totally suppressing the evil there, arises from the shelter and facilities afforded to the gamblers by the neighbourhood of Hongkong and the means of transport. On the other hand, the attention of the Government is being directed to this phase of the question. On the other hand, I may interest you to learn that from a report furnished me by the Police Magistrate, the effect of the new Gambling Ordinance here has been most satisfactory, as evidenced, not only by the total suppression of the gambling houses but by the consequent diminution of all classes of crime.

The Commission appointed under the Squatters Ordinance is continuing the labours of the Commission appointed, previous to the Ordinance, to enquire into the claims of the original Squatters in this Colony, but recent experiences have shown that not only the question of original Squatters but that of Squatters in general, requires immediate attention, and the whole subject is under the consideration of the Government.

## THE LATE SURVEYOR GENERAL.

This Council, and, I feel sure the community at large, will regret with me the sad death of one of our Members who has been so suddenly cut off in the midst of his career. In the late Surveyor General the Colony possessed a zealous and hardworking official, and his kindness of heart secured for him the friendship of many during his comparatively brief connection with Hongkong.

## THE CHANGE IN THE GOVERNORSHIP.

Since we last met a change has taken place in the Governorship, and I think that you will all agree with me that in losing Sir William De Vosk in connection with the appointment of a Chinese Consul in Hongkong, and a copy of Lord Knutsford's Despatch of 26th March, 1891, to His Excellency Governor Sir William De Vosk in connection with the appointment of a Chinese Consul in Hongkong, and a copy of Governor Sir Wm. De Vosk's reply thereto, to His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, received here on 18th July last, intimating that the proposed probable appointment of a Chinese Consul for this Colony had been withdrawn!

His Excellency said he had directed the two despatches referred to be laid on the table.

As to the other correspondence he replied he previously gave that it was intended to publish it still held good, and the telegram from the Secretary of State implied his concurrence with that view.

Will the Government lay on the table a copy of Lord Knutsford's Despatch of 26th March, 1891, to His Excellency Governor Sir William De Vosk in connection with the appointment of a Chinese Consul in Hongkong, and a copy of Governor Sir Wm. De Vosk's reply thereto, to His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, received here on 18th July last, intimating that the proposed probable appointment of a Chinese Consul for this Colony had been withdrawn?

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As to the other correspondence he replied he previously gave that it was intended to publish it still held good, and the telegram from the Secretary of State implied his concurrence with that view.

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# THE CHINA MAIL.

No. 8961.—October 15, 1891.

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Hongkong, September 26, 1891. 1854

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